

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
                          Andrew H. Pritchard )  
Application No:       )       Art Unit:       3691  
                          09/927,628               )  
Filed:                August 10, 2001           )       Confirmation No.: 5363  
For:                 SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR    )       Examiner:    Olabode Akintola  
                      DEVELOPING AND                )  
                      ADMINISTERING INVESTMENT    )  
                      TRUSTS                        )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION  
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on July 22, 2008 ("Office Action"), Applicants herein attach a Request for Continued Examination and respectfully request consideration of the following amendments:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Petition for Extension of Time**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the non-final Office Action dated July 22, 2008. With the extension, the time for replying is extended up to and including **November 24, 2008**. The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-3938 in the amount of \$130.00 in connection with the petition for extension of time and to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3938.